NOTICE OF GRANT AVAILABILITY

NAME OF GRANT PROGRAM:

Sexually Transmitted Disease

STATUTORY AUTHORITY:

State Appropriation Act (Pblc Lw 1994, Chptr 67)

GRANT PROGRAM NO. 04-36-STD **TYPE OF AWARDS TO BE ISSUED:**

Cost-reimbursement Grants

PURPOSE FOR WHICH THE GRANT PROGRAM FUNDS WILL BE USED:

To augment existing Sexually Transmitted Disease clinical services, such as improved diagnostic functions; and to perform intervention and prevention activities.

AMOUNT OF MONEY IN THE GRANT PROGRAM:

Approximately \$298,000 should be available in State Fiscal Year 2004 to fund five to six awards. Awards will be made for a twelve month budget period beginning July 1, 2003. Funding estimates may vary and are subject to state and federal appropriations. Applicants currently receiving grants for these activities and have performed satisfactory will be given first priority for continued funding.

ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS MUST COMPLY WITH THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:

- 1. Terms and Conditions for the Administration of Grants
- 2. General and specific Grant Compliance requirements issued by the Granting Agency.
- 3. Applicable Federal Cost Principles relating to the Applicant

GROUP OR ENTITIES WHICH MAY APPLY FOR THE GRANT PROGRAM:

Applicants are accepted from local health departments or hospital-based clinics that have a written agreement with the local health department to provide Sexually Transmitted Disease clinic services.

QUALIFICATIONS NEEDED BY APPLICANT TO BE CONSIDERED FOR A GRANT:

The agency must have existing Sexually Transmitted Disease clinic services provided at the rate of at least 1,000 or more cases of gonorrhea; or 2) a city having a population of at least 75,000 which reported 15 or more cases of syphilis and 124 or more cases of gonorrhea during CY 2001.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

Complete and submit a New Jersey Department of Health and Senior Services Application for a Grant.

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DEADLINE BY WHICH APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED AND DATE BY WHICH APPLICANT SHALL BE NOTIFIED WHETHER THEY WILL RECEIVE FUNDS:

Application must be submitted by: Varies. Information will be included in formal request for application. Date by which applicant must be notified of grant award: Usually one month prior to the funding period.